Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 10 Jul 2024 until 23:59 on Thursday 11 Jul 2024

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 09 Jul 2024 at 14:15

Confidence: High confidence for an unsettled Wednesday with cloud and rain. High confidence for transition to generally more settled weather from Thursday onwards.

Headline for Wednesday 10 Jul 2024: Cloudy with rain, heavy at times. Strong northwesterly winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 10 Jul 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
40%	50%	60%	70%	70%	70%	30%	30%

Forecast for Wednesday 10 Jul 2024

Weather: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain or drizzle through the day, these may be heavy at times through the middle of the day with a small chance of thunder. Strong northwesterly winds.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Little chance

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud to 300m or so throughout the day. Poor visibilities in rain or hill fog.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/21 N	15/21 N	22/32 NW	24/35 NW	26/38 NW	28/41 NW	26/39 NW	27/38 NW	25/36 NW
300	10/17 N	12/18 N	15/26 NW	17/29 NW	18/31 NW	18/33 NW	18/31 NW	18/31 NW	17/29 NW
Valley	10/17 N	11/19 N	15/26 NW	17/29 NW	17/30 NW	17/31 NW	16/30 NW	16/29 NW	16/28 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/7	9/6	8/4	9/4	9/5	10/5	9/5	8/4	8/3
300	11/9	11/8	10/7	11/8	12/8	12/9	12/8	10/7	10/7
Valley	12/10	12/10	11/8	12/9	13/10	13/10	13/10	12/9	11/8
<< Freezing Level*	2800m	2700m	2700m	2700m	2600m	2600m	2500m	2400m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Persistent and at times heavy rain will make for an unpleasant day with drenching conditions possible and conditions underfoot potentially hazardous. Windy conditions will make for fairly arduous walking on exposed terrain with buffeting of clothing. Balance may be affected at times. Persistent cloud, winds and rain will bring a cold feel.

Forecast for Thursday 11 Jul 2024

Weather: Cloudy with some patchy light rain first thing, but clearing through the morning to give a mainly dry day with some bright or even sunny spells.

Maximum wind: Northwest 25mph gust 35mph gradually easing to 15mph, gust 25mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 20% or less first thing, becoming 70% or more by midday.

Low cloud and visibility: Some early low cloud down to 300m or so will gradually lift and break through the day to leave summits mainly clear through the afternoon and evening, with the odd patch around 1000m. Visibilities will improve to good or very good through the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 to plus 15 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 5 to plus 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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